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In re Patent Application of:

Lawrence L. Bell

Application No.: 10/601,649

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR

MODELING AND EXECUTING

DEFERRED AWARD INSTRUMENT

PLAN

Confirmation No.: 1296

Art Unit: N/A

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04-1073, under Order No. P3180.0001/P001-B. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

Dated: November 10, 2003

Respectfully submitted,

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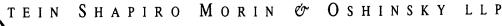
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Re:

U.S. Patent Application

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Dear Larry:

In accordance with your instructions, we filed a Response to Notice to File Missing Parts on November 10, 2003 in the above-identified patent application. The Response included a Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney. Enclosed is a copy of the papers as filed.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

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Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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Title

Method and apparatus for modeling and executing deferred award instrument plan

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